

ROTATING DISKS SLOT MACHINE**ABSTRACT**

Gaming apparatus has rotatable disks turning about a common axis of rotation and having
10 annular bands of indicia of different diameters on faces of the disks which extend toward the axis
of rotation. A player's winnings are determined by alignment of particular indicia along one or
more radii of the disks after a period of rotation. In one form of the invention, the disks are
supported, driven and held in a centered relationship with the axis of rotation by gear sets
situated at angular intervals around the periphery of the disks which engage gear teeth at the rims
15 of the disks. In another form, the disks are axially spaced apart flat plates of progressively greater
diameter extending from drive shafting at the axis of rotation. In another form, the disks are at
least partially formed of transparent material enabling viewing of indicia on disks which are
behind other disks.